"The South 40"
by JAMES A. SMITH
EXTENSION AGENT

This week we have moved to our office in the new County Office Building. We are most pleased to have access to these new office facilities and want to express our appreciation to you for making them available.

At a later date we anticipate having open house and want you to plan to attend. The new County Office Building is located directly behind the jail on Morton Lane.

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Last week I attended the Annual Meeting of the National Association of County Agricultural Agents in Tucson, Arizona. Over the years I've attended a number of these meetings and always I have found them useful in increasing my understanding of national and international problems and opportunities we face in agriculture.

There were a number of outstanding speakers – Senator Barry Goldwater; Congressman Morris Udall; Dr. Owen Hallberg, President American Institute of Cooperation; W. R. Bran, Executive Director, Community Service, Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company; and Edwin L. Kirby, Administrator, Extension Service USDA.

Over the years I've discovered that some of my most helpful contacts have been with other Extension Agents from across the country. Even though we are all engaged in that important task of food production; the way we go about it differs significantly.

Let me illustrate – there was an agent from a Wisconsin County that had 1700 dairys in his county – or the county in Texas that's divided into 12 ranches and every rancher has at least one graduate degree or the range country in Pima County Arizona where Tucson is located that will only carry 6 animals per section. A section is 640 acres. Then there's a county in central Arizona with one dairy herd with 1700 cows in the milking string.

From these and many other contacts we have the opportunity of person to person exchange of ideas, programs and methods that are extremely helpful.

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Percy Thompson probably grows some of the best tobacco on the poorest soil in Appomattox County. He has started stripping his tobacco and he tells me that this year he won't have to stand back from anybody including Riley Meginson and Carter Martin.

Competition is important in all segments of business, but I know of no group of businessmen who enjoy this competition more than farmers.

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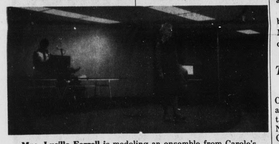
Extension Homemakers Sponsor Fashion Show

A Fall Fashion Show was a feature of the Achievement Day Program held October 26, 1974. Extension Homemakers modeled homemade and bought clothing. Shown below are some of the models.



Mrs. Lucille Ferrell is modeling an ensemble from Carole's Fashions of Appomattox.

Mrs. Geraldine Marshall is shown modeling a street-length dress she made.

Mrs. Ora McCoy is modeling a long dress she made. In the background is Mrs. Cheryl Corvello who served as narrator. Daniel Stratton provided piano music for the fashion show and Achievement Day program.

Miss White's 4-H Club

On October 14, Miss White's 4-H Club held its monthly meeting, with Richard Guill presiding. Angelo Woods led the pledge of allegiance and John Elder led the 4-H pledge. Recreation leaders Michelle Penn and Mary Hudson and Tony Webb led us in singing.

Mr. Sweet and Mr. Goldman showed us 4-H project books for the year. Then they showed us slides on last year's "Share the Fun." The program this year will be held at the Appomattox Elementary School from 3:30 to 5 p.m. on November 14.

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Comples Basic Training

Neale Foxwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Foxwell, has completed 6 weeks of Basic Training at Lackland Air Force Base in Texas and has started his training at the Air Training Command technical school - security division - at Lackland Air Force Base.

Woman's Club To Meet Monday Night

The Woman's Club of Appomattox will meet on Monday evening in the meeting room at the New Appomattox County Office Building with the business session beginning at 7:30 p.m. followed by the program at 8:00 p.m.

Roland B. Murphy, director of the 10th Judicial District, Juvenile & Domestic Relations Court Service Unit, will be the guest speaker for the evening.

Mr. Murphy serves the counties of Appomattox, Buckingham, Charlotte, Cumberland, Halifax, Lunenburg, Mecklenburg, Prince Edward and the City of South Boston. He is married to the former Patsy Grant, a member of the Junior Woman's Club, and they are the parents of two children. His hobbies include gardening, horseback riding and arrowhead collecting.

Every member will want to be present to hear the talk by Mr. Murphy concerning his line of work.

To Sponsor Fair

The Lynchburg Fine Arts Center will sponsor its fifth annual Arts and Crafts Fair this Friday and Saturday, November 1 and 2, at the Center on Thomson Drive. The event will be open both days from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Craftsmen from all along the East Coast will be featured in the 29 groups demonstrating. They cover assorted fields from stained glass, tooled leather, wooden toys, pottery, jewelry, including several contemporary artists, china painting and the like.

On Saturday only, if weather permits, there will be a craft type demonstration for youngsters.

Mrs. Thomas Pasternak is general chairman for this year's show, being presented under auspices of the FAC art division. Virginia Handcrafts is co-sponsor.

MRS. WALTON'S 4-H CLASS

The 4-H meeting was held in Mrs. Walton 6th grade class on Thursday, October 17. Mr. Sweet, 4-H Director showed us project books. Students chose some of their projects for the year. Mr. Sweet announced that the talent show "Share-the-Fun" will be held November 15, 1974 from 3:30 - 5:00 p.m. We also saw slides of last year's Share-the-Fun.

Mariana Johnson, Reporter

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Beauty crepe were fashioned like that of the bride. They carried cascade bouquets of pink carnations, pink roses and white stephanotis.

Terry Wolanski of Charlottesville, brother of the bridegroom, was best man and ushers were Dwight Inge and David Inge, both of Lynchburg and brothers of the bride, and Kent McDonald of Cleveland, Ohio.

After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Inge entertained with a reception in the fellowship hall of the church. Decorations of seasonal colors were used throughout for the reception.

Mrs. Inge, mother of the bride, chose to wear a floor length gown of blue and wore a white orchid corsage.

Mrs. Wolanski, mother of the bridegroom, wore a floor length gown of pink and had a white orchid corsage like that of the bride's mother.

Mrs. Kenneth E. Coleman of Appomattox was coordinator for the wedding.

The bride attended Madison College in Harrisonburg and received a B.S. degree in nursing from the University of Virginia in Charlottesville.

The bridegroom was graduated from John Carroll University in Cleveland and the University of Virginia School of Medicine in Charlottesville.

After a wedding trip to the Peaks of Otter, the couple will live in Birmingham, Ala., where the bridegroom is a resident in internal medicine at the University of Alabama Medical Center.

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Social Notes

Mrs. Calvin Robinson is a patient in Virginia Baptist Hospital where she is receiving treatment.

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Mrs. Raymond Harris of Chespeake, has been spending several days with her mother, Mrs. Rachel Cawthorne.

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Mrs. Reggie Stanley is a patient in Virginia Baptist Hospital where she is receiving treatment.

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Mrs. Margaret W. Calcott has returned to Clay's Rest Home, Blackstone, Virginia after spending six weeks in the residence of Mrs. Hazel R. Mann.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bugg visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Johnson, of Clifton Forge, recently.

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T/Sgt. Wesley C. Newcomb of Newport News is spending a few days here with his mother-in-law, Mrs. S. J. Evans, and in Lynchburg with his mother, Mrs. A. C. Newcomb.

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Mrs. Mary Watt Matthews entered the Virginia Baptist Hospital on Tuesday and is receiving treatment.

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Announce Birth

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. House, Jr. announce the birth of a daughter, Susan Renee on October 19, 1974 at Virginia Baptist Hospital.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lamm of Clifford and paternal grandparent is Mrs. M. J. House, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. House are the parents of another child, M. J. House, III.

Shower Honors Bride-Elect

On Saturday evening, October 19, Mrs. Michael Mitchell and Mrs. Robert O'Brien entertained Miss Ronda Mitchell with a bridal shower in the Mitchell home.

The wedding of Miss Mitchell and Mr. Victor Banton will be an event of December 14th at 7:30 p.m. at Mount Comfort United Methodist Church.

Guests at the shower included the bride's mother, Mrs. Maymond Mitchell, the groom's mother, Mrs. Mason Banton, Mrs. Grace Cunningham and Mrs. Curtis Mitchell, grandmothers of the bride and other relatives and friends.

Celebrates 50th Anniversary

MR. AND MRS. ROBERT E. ROACH

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Roach celebrated their 50th anniversary on Sunday, October 13, 1974. The couple was honored with a reception given by their children, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Roach and Mr. Donald Roach of Appomattox, Mrs. Jean Williams of Waynesboro; Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Roach of Lovingston; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McIntosh and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Roach of Pamplin.

Shower Honors Bride-Elect

On Saturday afternoon Miss Jane Hill entertained at her home with a bridal shower for Miss Patsy Jones.

The wedding of Miss Jones and Mr. John Marshall Jett will be an event of the afternoon of November 16 at Memorial United Methodist Church. Miss Hill will be an attendant in the forthcoming wedding.

Guests included the bride's mother, Mrs. R. David Jones, Mrs. Anna Absalon, grandmother of the bride, Mrs. Richard Ballowe, sister of the bride, who will also be an attendant, and friends of the honoree.

Assisting the hostess were her mother, Mrs. Charles D. Hill and her aunts, Mrs. Virginia C. Saunders, of Richmond, Mrs. M. E. Evans of Lynchburg, and Mrs. W. E. Ferrell of Appomattox.

Coffee Honors Miss Jones

Miss Patsy Jones was entertained with a Coffee Saturday morning by Mrs. Robert Carter and Mrs. Floyd Eggleston at the Eggleston home.

The marriage of Miss Jones and Mr. John Marshall Jett of Richmond will take place on Saturday afternoon, November 16th at the Memorial United Methodist Church.

Guests included Mrs. R. David Jones, mother of the bride, Mrs. Ann Absalon, grandmother of the bride, Mrs. Richard Ballowe II of Harrisonburg, sister of the bride and friends of the bride.

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Social Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bugg visited Cass, West Virginia last week end and rode the Scenic Cass Train to Bold Knob, West Virginia.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ken Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCall of Lexington spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Coleman.

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Mrs. S. J. Evans and Mrs. Taylor Matthews spent Sunday visiting friends in Petersburg.

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Mrs. Catherine Sykes of Newport News returned home Wednesday after spending several days with Miss Mabel Hudson and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wooldridge.

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The Fidelis Bible Class of Liberty Baptist Church enjoyed a covered dish picnic in the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Bowman in Lynchburg on Tuesday.

Pamplin VFD Holds Dance

The Pamplin Volunteer Fire Department will hold a Round and Square Dance Saturday night at the Pamplin Fire Station from 9: p.m. to midnight.

Music will be provided by Al Reynolds and the Drifters. Proceeds from the dance will be used by the department in their continuing job of community protection.

Open House Set at Memorial Church

Memorial United Methodist Church has set Sunday, November 3 as the date for an Open House at the new parsonage. All members and friends of the church are invited to attend.

Each guest presented Miss Jones with a gift for her kitchen.

MRS. JAMIE ROBERT BATES, JR.
the former Miss Janet Cassidy

Wed In Evening Ceremony

The marriage of Miss Janet Evelyn Cassidy to PFC Jamie Robert Bates, Jr. took place Friday evening, September 27, at 8:30 in Euclid Christian Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ambrose Cassidy of Lynchburg and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Nina Doyen Appomattox and Jamie R. Bates of Madison Heights.

The Rev. Joe C. Detamore, pastor of the church, officiated at the ceremony.

The bride was escorted and given in marriage by her father.

Mrs. Joseph K. Cassidy of Lynchburg, sister-in-law of the bride, was matron of honor.

Bridesmaids were Miss Beverly Schrader and Miss Barbara Kowatch of Lynchburg and Miss Karen Dermonocourt of Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.

Ricky Bates was his brother's best man. Senior usher was Joseph K. Cassidy, brother of the bride. Ushers were PFC Jerry Williams and Lc/Cpl. Georgie Roberts, all of Lynchburg.

Wanda Ussery of Concord, neice of the bride, was flower girl and Randy Ussery of Concord, nephew of the bride, was train bearer.

Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Cassidy entertained with a reception in the church social hall.

The bride is a graduate of E. C. Glass High School and the bridegroom is a graduate of Appomattox County High School.

After a wedding trip the bride will be in Lynchburg while the bridegroom continues his tour of duty with the U.S. Marine Corps in Meridian, Mississippi.

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AT AUCTION

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Thursday, November 14, 1974

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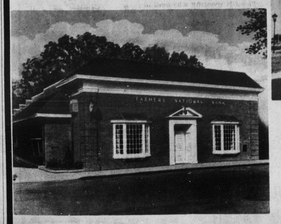

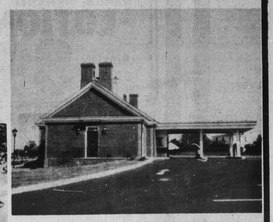

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